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TAGS: EFIN, ECON, PO

SUBJECT: DISPERSAL OF US BALANCE OF PAYMENTS LOAN

1. DEPARTMENT PROPOSES TO MAKE FOLLOWING STATEMENT AT THE
MAY 15 MONDAY PRESS BRIEFING. BEGIN QUOTE IN ACCORDANCE
WITH THE TERMS OF AN AGREEMENT WITH PORTUGAL SIGNED MARCH 1,

1978, THE US HAS JUST DISBURSED TO THE BANK OF PORTUGAL
\$200 MILLION OF A \$300 MILLION LOAN FOR BALANCE OF PAYMENTS
SUPPORT. THE US BELIEVES THAT THIS LOAN WILL SUPPORT
AND PROMOTE THE FINANCIAL STABILITY AND ECONOMIC RECOVERY
OF PORTUGAL. END QUOTE.

2. IF EMBASSY HAS NO OBJECTION, PLEASE CABLE GOB CONCUR-
RENCE. EMBASSY MAY ALSO RELEASE TEXT AT 1700 IN LISBON MAY
15. VANCE

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